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In re Patent of:  
Donald L. Yates, et al.

Patent No.: 6,743,641

Issue Date: June 1, 2004

For: METHOD OF IMPROVING SURFACE  
PLANARITY PRIOR TO MRAM BIT  
MATERIAL DEPOSITION

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of Correction

**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION  
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §§ 1.3221 AND 1.3222**

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Dear Sir:

Upon reviewing the above-identified patent, Patentee noted the following  
typographical errors which should be corrected.

In the specification:

Column 5, line 57 "has" should read --have--.

Column 7, line 45 "abravise" should read --abrasive--.

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The errors were found in the application as filed by applicant. Please charge our Credit Card in the amount of \$100.00 covering the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.20(a). Credit Card Payment Form SB-2038, with a signature from an authorized cardholder, is enclosed.

Patentee also noted the following typographical error that was not in the application as filed and appears to be an error in the printing, attributable to the USPTO.

In the claims:

Claim 1, column 8, line 69, "bf" should read --of--.

The errors now sought to be corrected are inadvertent typographical errors the correction of which does not involve new matter or require reexamination. Transmitted herewith is a proposed Certificate of Correction effecting such amendment. Patentee respectfully solicits the granting of the requested Certificate of Correction.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 04-1073, under Order No. M4065.0489/P489. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

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CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

PATENT NO. : 6,743,641  
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In the Specification:

Column 5, line 57 "has" should read --have--.

Column 7, line 45 "abravise" should read --abrasive--; and

In the Claims:

Claim 1, column 8, line 59, "bf" should read --of--.

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